CONDEMNED TO HANG

JOHN EVAN'S TO PAY THE PEN-ALTY OF HIS FIENDISH CRIME!

Convicted of Criminal Assault on Miss Cole He is Sentenced to Hang on the 26th Day of This Month-After the Sentence the Prisoner is Quietly Conveyed to Raleigh. The Military Camp Broken Up-The Closing Inciden's of the Trial

(Special to The Messenger.)

Rockingham, N. C., November 13 .-The examination of witnesses in the rape case ended at 12:30 o'clock p. m. Witnesses on both sides were examined. The defence closed at about 11:30 o'clock a. m. The state examined a few witnesses whose evidence completely rebutted the alibi evidence of the defence, and near 1 o'clock p. m court adjourned for dinner.

At 2 o'clock p. m. court reassembled and by agreement of counsel on both sides, no argument was made before the jury. It was stipulated that the judge should charge the jury, read his notes of evidence, and give the case to the jury.

The charge of the judge was brief, lucid and to the point.

The jury retired to their room at 3:3 o'clock and at 6:30 o'clock brought in

a verdict of "guilty." The sentence of the court is that the prisoner be hanged November 26th.

This verdict and sentence seem to meet the approbation of the people generally, and no trouble is anticipated. Immediately after the sentence the prisoner was conducted to the jail by the military and the sheriff made quick preparations for his transportation to Raleigh by special train, leaving Rockingham at 9 o'clock tonight. This was all done so quietly that it escaped the observation of the people.

A review of the case gives the fol-

In the conduct of the case Judge McIver has shown himself fully adequate to the demands upon him. He is a judge learned in the law, possessevery whit a patriot and a gentleman. The solicitor, good and true, and skilled in the law, assisted by Major John D. Shaw, the eminent Nestor of the Rockingham bar, supported by the able and learned Guthrie, 'Morrison and Neal, the energetic Kelly and the bright young Settle Dockery, have made a fair, patient, careful and deliberate fight, accomplishing a victory brows, and more than this, women and of praise and gratitude.

On the part of the prosecution Messrs. Cam Morrison, the town's attorney, and T. C. Guthrie have been the most active from the beginning, and too much praise cannot be awarded to them.

But while we bestow honors upon the counsel for the prosecution let us not pass in silence those kind hearted men, who at the call of the court greatly and ably for the cause of humanity defended the poor unfortunate criminal, brute as he is. Messrs. Dockery & Dockery and Maxcy John acted well their part, exhibiting a degree of perseverance and legal skill which would have done honor to veteran attorneys.

The examination of witnesses in behalf of the defence was conducted almost exclusively by Mr. Oliver Dockery, Jr. In this, as in all that he did in this case, he not only exhibited commendable zeal, but the skilled tact of an attorney who had gained victories on many fields.

The excellent mayor and our faithful sheriff have done everything in their power to bring the guilty man to justice, and should any person think either of them over zealous, he should attribute it to a desire to be faithful in the discharge of their duties. So many of our worthy citizens have rendered valuable, active services that it would take columns to give their names.

Of the jury we have already spoken in the highest terms as to honor, efficiency and moral worth and we can say no more, because what has been published embodies all that could be said:

Now that the investigation has been completed our people are satisfied to await the results of the 26th instant.

The military camp has been broken up, the soldiers have left, the prisoner is gone and tomorrow will give us the quiet, peaceful Sabbath of rest.

State Industries

(Special to The Messenger.)

Raleigh, N. C., November 13.-Reports to the bureau of labor statistics show that there are 122 tanneries and 36 roller flouring mills in operation in this state.

Three Persons Murdered

Atlanta, Ga., November 13.-'The dead bodies of Henry Turner, wife and sister, were found in a potato patch or purpose.

TWO NEGROES KILLED

A Negro Boy Assaulted by a Negro Man. The Latter Killed by the Officer in Making the Arrest-Demurrers in the Swinson and Stewart Bro. Cases

(Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., November 12.-At Durham today, H. Green, colored, aged 23 years, shot and instantly killed an 11year-old negro named Lassiter, after

having gone to his house and enticed him to come out. Deputy Sheriff Scoggins went to arrest Green, and as the latter made a motion to draw his pistol Scoggins shot and killed him. It is agreed in the case of H. L. Swin-

son against Auditor Ayer, Lieutenant Governor Reynolds, Speaker Hilman and others that argument on the demurrer shall be postponed until the first day of next January term of Wake court.

The demurrer of the former public printers, Stewart Bros., was argued today before Judge Robinson and was overuled and the Stewarts are required to make a new answer. They appeal to the supreme court. This is the case in which the state seeks to recover \$20,000 overpaid the defendants.

The damage suit of Engineer Thad Pleasants against the Seaboard Air Line is compromised, the road paying him \$4,100. He was given \$11,000 in Wake superior court and the case was pending in in a collision.

(By Associated Press.) Durham, N. C., November 13.—This morning in East Durham, a negro, Henry Green, went to the home of Sallie Lassiter, colored, who is a tenant of Mr. R. O. Scoggins, and for some reason shot and killed Sallie's 10-year-old son and fled. Mr. Scoggins got his rifle and with two companions went after the murderer. When they found him, Green turned toward them and reached for his pistol, whereupon Scoggins shot and killed him. Scoggins surrendered himself to an officer, was given a hearing before a magistrate and released.

FIRE AT TARBORO

The Bryan House and Other Buildings Burned-The Entire Town at One Time in Great Danger-Assisted by Fire Company From Rocky Mount

(Special to The Messenger.) Tarboro, N. C., November 13 .- Fire here today destroyed the Bryan house, W. H. McNair's drug store and four or five wooden buildings. It was dising the courage of his convictions, and covered just after breakfast and not until 12 o'clock was it under control The fire started from a defective flue in room No. 11 on the third floor of the hotel. Tonight nothing is left of the hotel save a few charred posts and the chimneys. The wail of the drugstore next to the hotel fell in, also the roof. The Morris Dry Goods Company store was slightly injured. It was with difficulty that the dwelling of T. H. which brings fresh laurels to their Gatlin was saved. So high was the wind that it looked once as if the children lisp their names in accents | whole town would be burned. At least a dozen houses, the stores opposite the old hotel, the law offices of Jas. R. Gaskill, Judge Phillips and Jaul Jones caught from sparks. The loss is estimated at \$20,000, about one-half of which is covered by insurance. There was no insurance on the hotel. Tarboro people feel grateful to the Rocky Mount fire company for their ready response and assistance.

Bladen Baptist Association

(Special to The Messenger.) Elizabethtown, N. C., November 13 .-The Bladen Baptist Association, which has been in session since the 10th instant at Clarkton, closed yesterday evening. Several able and entertaining speeches were made. Among the most prominent ministers present were O. L. Stringfield and J. E. White, of Raleigh; Ballard, of Southport; Hedgpeth, or Lumberton; Byrd, of Abbottsburg, and Brunt, of White Oak. Professor Walter E. Sykes, representing Wake Forest college, and Professor Hobgood, representing the Oxford female seminary, and Professor John Ducket, representing the Robeson institute, were present. Messrs. J. C. Caddell, representing The Biblical Recorder, and J. W. Cobb, representing The North Carolina Baptist, were present, making speeches in behalf of their papers. The association was not very well attended by its local churches, but was a success in all other respects. The next association will convene with the White

Messrs. R. S. White and C. C. Lyon are attending the supreme court this

R. E. Lee leaves for Robeson county today. He was very unexpectedly called off to assist in some trials which will be held the first of the week in south Robeson.

Jas. E. Boyd for the Cabinet

Washington, November 13 .- A concerted movement is to be made by southern politicians, led by Senator Pritchard and southern national committeemen, to have Colonel James E. Boyd, assistant attorney general promoted to the cabinet, should Attorney Gneral McKenna be appointed to the supreme bench. Mr. Boyd is the national committeeman from North Carolina, and his friends urge his competency and fitness as unexcelled.

Cubans Dynamite a Train

Havana, November 13.—The insurgents have dynamited and derailed a train running between Nuevetas, the port of Puerto Principe, and the city of Puerto Principe, capital of the province of that been shot to death and brained. Blood-hounds have been called for. There is cars, killed the engineer, fireman and ten no clue whatever as to the perpetrator other persons and injured twenty-seven soldiers and passengers.

LORD SALISBURY

CAKES A POLITICAL SPEECH. BUT REVEALS NOTHING

No Intimation of the Nation's Plans as to the Many Complicated Foreign Questions-His Monace to France Explained Away-Continental Papers Distructful. The Big Strike-The Mon: e Carlo Budge'. The Contest for the Presidency of the

(Copyrighted by Associated Press.) London, November 13.-The speech of the Marquis of Salisbury at the Guild hall on Tuesday last, Lord Mayor's day, again proved him to be past master of feres defeat at the hands of Vandersaying nothing in many soothing words. It was essentially a peace speech and did not contain a single indication as to how far the government is prepared to go on in Indian, Egyptian, Soudan and Niger affairs beyond a general "what telegram read to the students here: can be done, will be done." Even the supposed menace to France has since been explained and was not intended to excite French feelings, but was merely to give English public opinion mild satisfaction from a prefended bluff. The premier's utterances on the subject of international federation lead to the conclusion that the government is wearying of Great Britain's "splendid isolation," and the imperialistic plans of the secrethe supreme court. Pleasants lost a hand tary of state for the colonies, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, have not yet progressed enough to permit Great Britain to maintain her policy of separation from the rest of the world. The continental newspapers regard dis-

> powers, coming from the leader of the power which, rightly or wrongly, the whole of Europe believes to have been the most untrustworthy element in it. While a preliminary meeting of the representatives of the striking engineers and of the employers of the men will be held on Monday next, to settle upon the terms of the conference arranged through the mediation of the board of trade, the expectation of a speedy settlement of the dispute is hardly more

trustfully praise of the concert of the

sanguine than it was a week ago. The French chamber of deputies on Friday adopted a bill which has already been passed by the senate, providing for entrapped by magistrates desirous of convicting them. Hereafter prisoners must be interrogated immediately after their arrest and in the presence of their

lawyers. The Budget of Monte Carlo shows that the profits for the year ending October 31st were 5,000,000 francs below those of the previous year. No reasons are assigned for this failing off. The bank's outlays include 2,000,000 francs to the prince of Monaco; police and grounds 1,500,000 francs; salaries 1,000,000 francs; orchestra and sports 800,000 francs, and for the prevention of suicides 100,000 francs. The number of suicides during the year was thirty-five.

The reason for the absence of Mr Rhodes from the festivities at tending the recent opening of the railroad to Buluwayo is said not to be due to ill health, but to be part of a well organized plan to defeat Kruger in the election for the president of the Transvail which occurs about two months

The Saturday Review, which has much inside information regarding South Afri can affairs, believes there is a fair workng chance of Mr. Rhodes defeating Kruger and electing a Boer who will not be hostile to the mining interests. Had Mr. Rhodes appeared at Buluwayo, that town would have converted the whole affair into a personal triumph for Mr. Rhodes, which would have antagonized the Boers and would have undone all the pacificatory work of the politicians, the sole object of which is to defeat The famous Louis XV drawing room

The Mammoth Arbitration Petition

suit, composed of a sofa and six arm

chairs, with old beauvis tapestry has

been sold in Paris to a London dealer for

New York, November 13.-William R. Cremer, former member of Parliament or the Haggerston division of Shorditch, first secretary of the International Workingmens' Association and secretary of the international arbitration league, was a passenger on the American Liner St. Paul, which arrived from Southampton tonight. Mr. Cremer will present to every United States senator an address to the United States senate in favor of arbitration, signed by 7,000 working men, each of whom is an officer of a trades union, the whole number representing over 2,750,000 British workingmen.

Wade Hampton, Jr., was one of the St. Paul's passengers.

The Tube Trust

Pittsburg, Pa., November 13.-The Shelby Tube Company which was incorporated under the laws of Pennsylvania October 28th, 1897, was organized here today. The capital stock is 5,000-000. The new concern will manufacture iron and steel weldless tubes. It will control 87 per cent. of the output in the country and will be able to supply the entire American trade as well as a good part of the European consumption. The general offices have already been established in London and Birmingham, England. The cost of producton will be materially lessened by the acquiring of patent rights and processes of five of the largest tube companies of the country.

The American Bible Society in Trouble New York. November 13.-Officers of the American Bible Society were questioned today regarding published report that the society was in difficulties; that it might sell the Bible house and that, in fact, the society might go out of existence entirely. It was admitted by the officers that the society needed money and that the Bible house might some day be sold, but, further than that, the report was denounced as utterly without foundation.

Hayti Wakes a National Loan Washington, November 13.-The

United States minister to Hayti cables from Port au Prince that the Haytian government has concluded a loan for \$4,000,000 through Lazard Brothers, New York, at 9 per cent., to be delivered immediately. The paper currency to be destroyed, the fractional silver and copper coin to be recoined in the mints of the United States.

CHAPEL HILL

Sent-Afferin Affestiner.

ary of the Week's Doings at the State University-Foot Ball the Sine Qua Nes (Correspondence of The Messenger.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., November 13.

The foot ball team arrived home last Wednesday morning after five days absence on their western trip. While away they played the University of the South, Vanderbilt University, University of Tennessee and Bingham. The first three named are in Tennessee and the latter near Asheville, N. C. Last Friday the 'varsity eleven defeated the University of the South at Sewanee by a score of 12 to 6. Saturday they sufbilt by the score of 0 to 31. When the team played Vanderbilt they were in a very poor condition, having just trav-eled such a long distance and only the day before defeating Sewanee, and the men were all broken up, but, as the "Exhausted, but full of grit. Every man died in his tracks." thus clearly showing that though broken up as they were, they did their best for dear old alma mater. Sunday as a day of rest put the team in a fair condition to play the University of Tennessee Monday. They defeated the latter by the score of 16 to 0 and on Tuesday they defeated Bingham by the score of 14 to of Thursday afternoon they again donned their foot ball clothes to go out practice for the few remaining left between now and the great Virginia game which comes off at Richmond Thanksgiving Day. The team deserves great praise and encouragement from the students, for the perseverance and energy with which they have added fresh laurels to old North Carolina university.

Last Saturday the freshmen and medicals played the most interesting of the inter-class contests. The score resulted in a tie-6 to 6. Bellamy, of Wilmington, played the star game for the freshmen, and Tate and Kornegay for the medicals. The juniors and sophomores play a game this afternoon.

The old cover to the well on the camreform in the criminal investigations be-fore examining magistrates, which have been such a notorious scandal. Owing to columns, has been erected. This new the secrecy of the procedure, prisoners feature adds much beauty to the cam-

Dr. Alderman was to have lectured in Girard hall Thursday night on the "Theory of the State," but as he was way from the Hill, the lecture did not

The dissecting hall is being enlarged by an addition of another room. The site for the new alumni building has been chosen opposite the chemical laboratory and north of the Old East Building.

GERMANY UNEASY'

At the Political Schemes and International Treatice Going on Around Her-England Coming in for Her Share of Abuse

Berlin, November 13.-The visit of Court Golushowski, the Austro-Hunrarian minister for foreign affairs, to King Humbert, et Monza, and its attendant circumstances are regarded in German political circles as being of the highest importance. The conservative and agrarian newspapers interpret the visit as meaning a closer understanding between Austria-Hungary and Italy and as a leaning of those two powers towards Great Britain. ad biss

The leading organ of the agrarians and nationalists, The Deutsch Zeitung, says: "In this we are unable to see anything but a weakening of our diplomatic position. Under Prince Bismarck our country was the mediator between Russia and Austria and Italy, while France was isolated and England was kept in check by Russia. The Russo-English irreconcilable contract is still existing; but France has made an agreement with Russia, and Austria has made one with both Italy and Russia, in each case over our heads, and the internal and foreign policy of Austria go hand and in hand under the lead of two Poles, Badeni and Goluchowski, who aim at the suppression of German influence."

The Rundschau publishes an article to the same effect, denouncing the duplicity of British statecraft whereby both Austria and Italy are gradually becoming estranged from Germany.

The Boersen Courier, a leading financial organ, says: "We are approaching famine conditions. Victuals have risen in price to such an extent that the sustenance of a whole strata of the population is in doubt. Meat has become for the laboring classes, thanks to the import prohibitions, an article of luxury hardly attainable, and our poor crops have driven the prices of cereals to such heights that not only the industrial population and the dwellers in cities, but even the rustic population, excepting that part of it are threatened in their existence. A moment is approaching when the government will be compelled to throw open again those avenues of trade which are now artificially clogged." The Guelph party in Brunswick, at its convention at Helmsted this week,

is pledged to support the succession of | their churches to swear an oath-which the Duke of Cumberland to the throne. | they did-that they would live honest-During the presence of Emperor William in the flood suffering districts keeping peace. Afterwards the auof Silesia, it was remarked that the thorities occupied themselves with the police made humberless house searches task o securing for them a ylace of and seized many thousands of anar- refuge and provided them with all the chist and socialist pamphlets and jour-

Thanksgiving Day will be celebrated in Berlin on November 25th by a dinner and dance at the Kaiserbog, as usual, and there will be some informal speeches. The United States ambassador, Mr. Andrew B. White, will deliver one of them.

Opening of Eastern Field Trials Charlotte, N. C., November 13.-The eastern field trials opened today at

opens in earnest Monday,

CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE

ON THE PART OF THE PENITEN-TIARY AUTHORITIES

The Troops at Rockingham to be Relieved by the Lumber Bridge Company-Preparing the Exhibition of North Corolina on Wheels-Irregularities in the Louisburg Dispensary-Evangerlist Lee Still in the Forefront-Funds for the Durham and Charlotte Railroad

Messenger Bureau.

Raleigh., N. C., November 13. Preperations were made today to relieve the troops now guarding John Evans at Rockingham, by sending the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry there in case the trial does not end tonight. The captain of the Maxton company thinks fifty men sufficient as a guard.

The beautiful exposition car "City of Charlotte," is here, and will be loaded, mainly with articles from the state museum, for its long tour through the eastern, middle and western states. An act of the legislature allows the use of exhibits from the museum. The state is at no expense. It is a private venture. The Southern and the Sea-

board Air Line railways are interested. John B. Brewer, a merchant of Wake Forest, made an assignment today to Charles H. Belvin. His liabilities are about \$4,000.

There are now 300 students at Shaw university here. Of these sixty are medical students, twenty-five of the latter being freshmen.

Alfred Hebrard, of New Orleans, has been transferred to the revenue collector's office here, to an \$800 position. He was a chief of division at Washington, but was discharged under the new administration. Upon appeal to the civil service commission he was reinstated and then transferred here.

The penitentiary authorities have kept secret the fact that Burch, a negro convicted here last year of burglary in the second degree, has made his escape. He was serving a fifteen year term. It turns out that he escapcounty authorities were given the least notice. The other day a negro saw Burch at large and made inquiry as to why he was out of the penitentiary. There is no telling how many convicts have escaped this year. The laxity of the penitentiary management is unprecedented. Superintendent Smith does not care for the criticisms. He says openly he never reads a newspa-

There are complaints that the Louisburg dispensary is extravagantly managed, and that in violation of the law the managers have been allowed to bottle liquors, and further, that they have put water in the whiskey. To not a few people the latter is the unpardonable sin. There is talk of impeachment.

News reaches here of the burning of a flat loaded with 168 bales of cotton, on Tar river.

Evangelist Lee announces that he intends to stop the exhibition here of the Fitzsimmons-Corbett fight pictures, which are billed to show here on the 19th instant. Last night he called on his auditors to back him in this crusade. He says he will carry his point, A mortgage for \$2,000,000 is being executed by the Durham and Charlotte railway to the Frankfort Safe Deposit Company, of Philadelphia, which fur-

nishes the funds for the building of the line in two years. Governor Russell has, during the ten months of his administration, issued forty-four pardons. It is asserted that this does not exceed the average num-

Some moonshiners, supposed to be the Staley brothers and their friends, fired from ambush on Biscoe B. Bowlford county during a raid. Nobody was

The X ray photographs taken of Mrs. Watson for the purpose of locating the bullet, are so dim as to be failures. Another attempt to get photos will be made this time by a Burlington artist. Twenty-seven convicts were sent from the penitentiary to the Roanoke farms today.

Armenian Brigands

Washington, November 13.- The Furkish legation today, after inquiry authorized the following statement concerning recent Armenian outbeaks:

"The Armenian agitators, conforming to their program form bands of brigands in oredr to subvert the public order and security of the Empire, and not only the Armenia brigands, but also their wives use Martini rifles and dynamite shells. Only recently the belonging to the suffering agrarians governor-general of the vulayet of Sivas and the governor of Janik have reported that the Armenian bands of brigands, members of the revolutionary huntshaguist committee, in those regions under the orders of the Housesepand Minas Oghlon, were pursued and arrested. Thereupon, these indinominated candidates for the reichstag, viduals, like many others under the in the whole duchy. Each candidate same conditions, were conducted ly and submit strictly to the laws of necessities of life to enable them to live honestly and peacefully.

Decision on the Original Package Law

Atlanta, Ga. November 12.—Judges Pardee and Newman, of the United States court, landed down a decision in the famous dispensary case this morning enjoying the Southern from refusing to hall liquor into South Carlina in future. The decision is an important one in that the original package law is involved. The judges decidated that the original package law is involved. Newton, when about a dozen dogs ran | ed that liquors and wines in bottles in the membership stakes. The at- packed in boxes and shipped in cartendance is good and the meeting load lots were, under the law of South promises to be a successful one. It Carolina, clearly admissible, and opens in earnest Monday, should be handled by any rallway.

Royal makes the food pure,

Yellow Fever Report

BOYAL BAIENG POWDER CO., NEW YORK

New Orleans, November 13.-There a slight increase in the number of cases of yellow fever reported here to eleven being announced. There were two deaths. The situation her is stee growing better and very little attention is now being given to the record of cases and deaths. Advices from the country parishes and the surrounding states, my that there is a steady relaxation of quar-antine restrictions and a considerable inpetus is being given to freight business. New Orleans people who have been away are beginning to return.

Mobile, Ala., November 13 .- Four ne cases, no deaths and twelve recoveries was the fever report today. Jacksonville, Miss., November 12.—Dr. Purnell reports from Edwards to the state board of health that there two new cases of yellow fever in the country near that place. Two suspice cases reported at Clinton yesterday are pronounced yellow fever. No new ca are reported from the other infected points in the state.

Troy, N. C., September 6, 1897 .- 1 have been subject to neuralgia headaches for several years. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla and it relieved After having the grip I was left in a debilitated condition. I took Hoods Sarsaparilla and it restored me to usual health. I do not think there any medicine equal to Hood's Saranparilla for purifying the blood and ed last July. Neither the city nor building up the system. W. T. Boul-

> Hood's Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

STATEMENTS OF THE INDEBT-EDNESS OF THE SUBSCRIBERS TO THE SEMI-WEEKLY MESSENGER WERE RECENTLY MAILED, AND WHILE A GREAT MANY HAVE RESPONDED. THERE ARE MANY YET IN ARREARS AND WE TRUST THIS REMINDER WILL CAUSE ALL WHO HAVE NEGLECTED THEIR ACCOUNT WITH US TO TAKE PROMPT ACTION. THE DATE ON THE LABEL OF EACH PAPER SHOWS THE TIME TO WHICH THE SUBSCRIPTION HAS BEEN PATE. AND THE ACCOUNT CAN BE EAST-LY DETERMINED WITHOUT WART-ING FOR A STATEMENT FROM US. A THOROUGH REVISION OF THE LIST WILL BE MADE AT AN RAB-LY DATE AND ALL DELINQUENTS WILL BE PLACED ON OUR "BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE."

Changes for Next Base Ball Teasen Philadelphia, November 13.-The nual fall meeting of the National Base Ball League was brought to a class din and other revenue officers in Guil- this evening after a final session which lasted from 10:30 to 5:30 o'clock p. . Very little business was disposed at at the previous sessions of the week's meeting, but today conclusions were reached on several important matters. The double umpire system was adopted with the decision that a regula schedule for umpires should be prepared. Provision was made for the suppression of rowdyism on the lie field, and it was decided to have for trips between the sections instead of

two as heretofore.

To Dismiss Charges Against Insurgento Havana, November 13.-Marshall Blanco, the governor-general of the island, has, according to official report requested the presiding magistrates tribunals before which may be brought natives charged with the crime of rebellion against the Spanish governmen to remit these cases and those of similar character, brought against foreigners, so that they may be deck according to the terms of the propo politic amnesty for Cuba and the Philippines, approved by the Spanish cabinet on the 7th inst.

The Southwestern Tariff Association Chicago, November 13.-It is now definitely settled that there will be Southwestern Traffic Association. 7 executive officers of the Chicago roa interested in the business have refused to sign the agreement and unle they do so it is out of the question for the other roads to think of forming am association that will be sufficiently

powerful to maintain rates. A Twenty Five Mile Bace

Chicago, November 12.—Jimmy Michael defeated Fred J. Titus, of New York, in a match race of twenty-five miles for a purse of \$1,000 at the coliseum ton The race was run on a eight lap trained and the track was easily turned. The being two miles behind at the finish. The fifth mile was made in the remarkation of 1:58 1-5. Michael's time for the first tim distance was 52:34 2-5. He broke all i door records up to fourteen miles, all them his own. Titus' pacing was poer.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is prepared her experienced pharmacists who ke precisely the nature and quality of ingredients used.